

Tuesday, October 1, 1996

Daily Digest

HIGHLIGHTS

See Resume of Congressional Activity.

Senate

Chamber Action

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Measures Introduced: Four bills and four resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2183–2186, and S. Res. 307–310. **Pages S12125–26**

Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

Report to accompany H.R. 3815, to make technical corrections and miscellaneous amendments to trade laws. (S. Rept. No. 104–393)

S. 1277, to provide equitable relief for the generic drug industry, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 104–394)

Report to accompany H.R. 3198, to reauthorize and amend the National Geologic Mapping Act of 1992. (S. Rept. No. 104–395) **Page S12125**

Measures Passed:

Electing Secretary of the Senate: Senate agreed to S. Res. 307, electing Gary Lee Sisco of Tennessee as Secretary of the Senate. **Page S12046**

Notification to the President: Senate agreed to S. Res. 308, notifying the President of the United States of the election of Gary Lee Sisco of Tennessee as Secretary of the Senate. **Page S12046**

Notification to the House of Representatives: Senate agreed to S. Res. 309, notifying the House of Representatives of the election of Gary Lee Sisco of Tennessee as Secretary of the Senate. **Page S12046**

Commending Kelly D. Johnston: Senate agreed to S. Res. 310, commending Kelly D. Johnston for his service to the United States Senate. **Page S12046**

Technical Correction: Senate passed S. 2183, to make technical corrections to the Personal Responsibility and Work Opportunity Reconciliation Act of 1996, after agreeing to the following amendment proposed thereto: **Pages S12092–93**

Murkowski (for Daschle) Amendment No. 5424, to provide for the extension of the Northern Great Plains Rural Development Commission. **Page S12092**

Convening Day for the 105th Congress: Senate passed H.J. Res. 198, appointing the day for the convening of the first session of the One Hundred Fifth Congress and the day for the counting in Congress of the electoral votes for President and Vice President cast in December 1996, clearing the measure for the President. **Page S12093**

National Securities Improvement Act—Conference Report: Senate agreed to the conference report on H.R. 3005, to amend the Federal securities laws in order to promote efficiency and capital formation in the financial markets, and to amend the Investment Company Act of 1940 to promote more efficient management of mutual funds, protect investors, and provide more effective and less burdensome regulation, clearing the measure for the President. **Pages S12093–95**

FAA Authorizations—Conference Report: Senate resumed consideration of the conference report on H.R. 3539, to amend title 49, United States Code, to reauthorize programs of the Federal Aviation Administration. **Pages S12095–S12115**

Senate will resume consideration of the conference report on Wednesday, October 2, 1996.

Removal of Injunction of Secrecy: The injunction of secrecy was removed from the following treaty:

The International Convention on the International Maritime Organization (Treaty Doc. 104–36).

The treaty was transmitted to the Senate today, considered as having been read for the first time, and referred, with accompanying papers, to the Committee on Foreign Relations and ordered to be printed. **Page S12146**

Messages From the President: Senate received the following messages from the President of the United States:

Transmitting the report on the operation of the Caribbean Basin Economic Recovery Act; referred to the Committee on Finance. (PM–175). **Page S12124**

Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Judith M. Espinosa, of New Mexico, to be a Member of the Board of Trustees of the Morris K. Udall Scholarship and Excellence in National Environmental Policy Foundation for a term of four years.

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Messages From the President:

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Adjournment: Senate convened at 9:30 a.m., and adjourned at 6:01 p.m., until 12 noon, on Wednesday, October 2, 1996. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Acting Majority Leader in today's Record on pages S12146–47.)

Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

BOSNIA

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on European Affairs concluded hearings on the current situation in Bosnia, after receiving testimony from John C. Kornblum, Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for European and Canadian Affairs; Richard Holbrooke, First Boston Corporation, former Assistant Secretary of State for European and Canadian Affairs, and Diane Paul, Human Rights Watch/Helsinki, both of New York, New York; and Susan Woodward, Brookings Institution, and John Fox, Open Society Institute, both of Washington, D.C.